

FlexStat[™] BACnet Programmable Thermostats

BAC-1xx36 Series (3 Relays, 6 Analog Outputs)

Installation Guide (3/6 Outputs)

Quick Start

The KMC FlexStat series of intelligent temperature/ humidity-sensing, wall-mounted, thermostat/ controllers are native BACnet Advanced Application Controllers (B-AAC) for use in a BACnet system. The FlexStat simplifies networked zone control for common packaged HVAC equipment by including an on-board library of programs that permits rapid configuration of a wide range of HVAC control applications.

To use the FlexStat:

- 1. Mount and wire the unit (see this Installation Guide).
- NOTE: This document gives basic mounting, wiring, and setup information only. For configuration, programming, operation, and other information, see the KMC Controls web site (www.kmccontrols.com) for the latest documents and firmware. For installation instructions of FlexStats with output configurations other than 3 relays and 6 analog outputs, see that model's respective installation guide.
- **2. Configure/program the unit** (see the BAC-10000 Series Operation and Application Guides).
- **3. If necessary, troubleshoot any issues** (see the BAC-10000 Series Operation Guide).
- **4. Operate the unit** (see the BAC-10000 Series Operation Guide).



Illustration 1—Dimensions and Connections

Mounting

For optimum temperature sensor performance, the FlexStat must be mounted on an inside wall and away from heat sources, sunlight, windows, air vents, and air circulation obstructions (e.g., curtains, furniture).

Additionally, for a model with an occupancy sensor option, be sure to install it where it will have unobstructed view of the most typical traffic area (see the Application Guide for more information).

If replacing an existing thermostat, label wires as needed for reference when removing the existing thermostat.

- 1. Complete rough-in wiring at each location prior to thermostat installation. Cable insulation must meet local building codes.
- Turn the hex screws in the bottom and top of the FlexStat clockwise until they clear the cover. (See Illustration 1.) Pull the cover away from the backplate (mounting base).
- 3. Route the cable through the backplate.
- 4. With the embossed UP toward the ceiling, fasten the backplate directly to a **vertical** 2 x 4 inch wall handy-box. (For horizontal or 4 x 4 applications, use the HMO-10000 wall mounting plate.)
- 5. Make the appropriate connections to the terminal blocks. (See the Connections and Wiring section.)
- Place the FlexStat cover over the backplate while being careful not to pinch or dislodge any wiring. Back the hex screws (counterclockwise) out of the brackets until they engage the FlexStat cover and hold it in place.

A CAUTION

To prevent mounting screw heads from touching the circuit board in the thermostat, use only the mounting screws supplied by KMC Controls. Using screws other than the type supplied may damage the FlexStat.

NOTE: This document is for **3 relay** and **6 analog** output BAC-1xx**36** series only. See other installation guides for the proper FlexStat series.

Connections and Wiring

MS/TP Wiring

Connect the -A terminals in parallel with all other -A terminals on the network and the +B terminals in parallel with all other +B terminals. (See Illustrations 2 and 4.) Connect the shields of the cable (Belden cable #82760 or equivalent) together at each device. Use a wire nut or the *S* terminal in KMC BACnet controllers. (FlexStats, however, do not have an *S* terminal.) Connect the cable shield to a good earth ground **at one end only**.

NOTE: The *S* terminal in KMC controllers is provided as a connecting point for the shield. The terminal is not connected to the ground of the controller. When connecting to controllers from other manufacturers, verify the shield connection is not connected to the controller's ground.

For more information on principles and good practices when connecting an MS/TP network, see Planning BACnet Networks (Application Note AN0404A).

MS/TP EOL (End-Of-Line) Termination

The controllers/thermostats on the physical ends of the EIA-485 wiring segment must have end-of-line termination installed for proper network operation. (See Illustrations 2 and 3.) If a FlexStat is at the physical **end** of the MS/TP network line, set **both** the EOL termination switches **(1 and 2)** to **On** (to the **right**) on the back of the circuit board. If not on the end, ensure that both switches are Off (left).



Illustration 2—MS/TP Network End-Of-Line Termination



Illustration 3-EOL and Pull-Up Switch Resistor Positions

Input Connections

Passive input devices require pull-up resistors in the circuit. For **passive** input devices (e.g., switch contacts and Type III 10K ohm thermistors) on IN2 through IN4, set the pull-up switches on the back of the circuit board to the **10K** position. For **active** voltage devices, set the switches to the **0–12 VDC** position. (See Illustrations 3 and 4.)

- NOTE: Unlike the EOL switch pairs (1-2), the INPUT switch pairs (3-4, 5-6, and 7-8) must NOT have both switches set to the left or both set to the right—if switch 3 is set to the left, for example, switch 4 must be set to the right (or vice versa). ALL the input pull-up resistor switch pairs must be fully latched in either 10K Ohm or 0–12 VDC positions even if a switch pair has no input connected! A single incorrect switch position may cause errors in multiple inputs.
- NOTE: **For more information on wiring for specific AHU and FCU applications, see the Applications section starting on page 4.** (These applications are the packaged programs selectable from the Advanced > Application menu in the BAC-1xx63C models.) See also the BAC-10000 Series Application Guide on www.kmccontrols.com.
- NOTE: FlexStat inputs do not support 1K ohm RTDs. To use a 4–20 current loop input or map analog inputs as binary values, see the BAC-10000 Series Application Guide.



Illustration 4-Terminals and Connections

Output Connections

Connect the device under control between the desired output terminal and the related **SC (Switched Common for relays) or GND (Ground for analog outputs)** terminal. (See Illustration 4). For the bank of three relays, there is one Switched (relay) Common connection (in place of the GND terminal used with analog outputs). (See Illustration 5).



Illustration 5-Switched (Relay) Common and Relays

Do not attach a device that draws current exceeding the FlexStat's output capacity:

- Maximum output current for individual ANA-LOG outputs (4–9) is 20 mA @ 12 VDC (each).
- Max. output current is 1 A for individual RE-LAYS @ 24 VAC/VDC or a total of 1.5 A per bank of 3 relays (relays 1–3).

For example, KMC REE-3111/3112 relays could be connected to the analog outputs, but **REE-3211/3221/3213 relays would exceed the FlexStat's analog output capacity** (although the REE-3211 can be used with the FlexStat's internal relays 1–3 as shown in the following applications pages).

FlexStat relays 1–3 are **NO**, **SPST (Form "A")**. (To emulate binary outputs with the analog outputs, set the output voltage to be either 0 or 12 VDC in Control Basic.)

A CAUTION

Relays are for Class-2 voltages (24 VAC) only. Do not connect line voltage to the relays!

A CAUTION

Do not mistakenly connect 24 VAC to an analog output ground. This is not the same as a relay's switched common. See the backplate's terminal label for the correct terminal.

Power Connection

The FlexStat requires an external, 24 volt, AC power source. Use a KMC Controls Class-2 transformer to supply power. Connect the transformer's **neutral** lead to the 24 VAC **Common/–/C** terminal and the AC **phase** lead to the 24 VAC **Phase/~/R** terminal. (See Illustration 4.) Power is applied to the FlexStat when the transformer is plugged in.

KMC Controls recommends powering only one controller/thermostat from each transformer. If installing a FlexStat in a system with other controllers/thermostats powered from a single transformer, however, phasing must be correct and the total power drawn from the transformer must not exceed its rating.

Configuration

To configure the FlexStat, navigate the menus and change settings by pressing a combination of buttons. Press the **Right** (Menu) button and then the:

- Enter button to select and/or exit value editing.
- Up/Down button to move among entries (up/ down lines).
- Left/Right button to move among value fields (left/right spaces).
- Left button to return to the Home screen.

Humidity and motion sensor options are dependent on the FlexStat model. For operation, configuration, troubleshooting, and other information, see the BAC-10000 Series Operation Guide.



Illustration 6—Configuration Screens

NOTE: Applications on pages 4–10 are the packaged programs selectable from the Advanced > Application menu in the BAC-1xx36C (only) models. Other FlexStat models have other applications.



FCU—4 Pipe, Modulating

APPLICATION DEGREES SCALE: °F **RPP:** FRN COIL OPT: 4-PIPE **ADDITIONAL SETUP**

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SC1-3

COM

OUT7

TERMINALS

OUT8

IN2

GND

IN2

GND

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RLY1

RLY2

RLY3

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ADDITIONAL SETUP FRN HUMIDITY SENSORS VALVE

Connections and menus reflect firmware NOTE: version R1.3.0.4 or later.



Input Terminals	FCU Input Connections	BACnet Objects
IN4		(AI4)
IN3		(AI3)
GND	Ground	
IN2	Optional FST or DAT*	AI2
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AHU (Air Handler Unit)-1 Heat and 1 Cool

APPLICATION DEGREES SCALE: °F APP. AIR HANDLER OPT: 1H/1C ADDITIONAL SETUP ADDITIONAL SETUP DAMPER FAN HUMIDITY SENSORS STAGING

NOTE: Connections and menus reflect firmware version R1.3.0.4 or later.

Input Terminals	AHU Input Connections	BACnet Objects
IN4	Opt. Outside Air Temp. (OAT)*	Al4
IN3	Opt. Mixed Air Temp. (MAT)*	AI3
GND	Ground	
IN2	Optional FST or DAT**	AI2
*When using optional Outside Air Damper, must also have MAT/OAT inputs (typically 10K, Type III thermistors). Ensure pull-up resistor switch positions are set properly—see Illustration 3 on page 2. **Fan Status (FST) or Discharge Air Temperature (DAT) is an optional, selectable input. Ensure pull-up resistor switch positions are set properly (10K position) for the relay, switch, or Type III thermistor.		



AHU—1 or 2 Heat and Modulating Cool



ADDITIONAL SETUP DAMPER FAN HUMIDITY SENSORS STAGING VALVE

NOTE: Connections and menus reflect firmware version R1.3.0.4 or later.

Input Terminals	AHU Input Connections	BACnet Objects
IN4	Opt. Outside Air Temp. (OAT)*	Al4
IN3	Opt. Mixed Air Temp. (MAT)*	AI3
GND	Ground	
IN2	Optional FST or DAT**	AI2

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AHU—Modulating Heat and 1 or 2 Cool

APPLICATION DEGREES SCALE: °F 1997: AIR HANDLER OPT: MOD H/2 C ADDITIONAL SETUP

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AHU—Modulating Heat and Modulating Cool



AHU—Additional Options



Accessories

HMO-10000	Horizontal or 4 x 4 handy box wall mounting plate, light al- mond (see the Mounting section)
HMO-10000W	HMO-10000 in white
HPO-0044	Replacement cover hex screw
SP-001	Flat blade and hex end screw- driver
XEE-6000 Series	Transformers (see the Power Con- nection section and schematics)
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Additional Resources

The **latest support files** are always available on the KMC Controls web site (**www.kmccontrols.com**). To see all available files, you will need to log-in to the Partners site.

For operation, configuration, troubleshooting, and other information, see the BAC-10000 Series Operation Guide.

For additional wiring, application, and programming information, see the BAC-10000 Series Application Guide.



For specifications and additional accessory information, see the BAC-10000 Series Data Sheet.

For additional instructions on programming, see the Help system for BACstage or TotalControl.

Specifications

Supply Voltage	24 VAC (+20%/–15%), Class 2
Supply Power	1 VA steady state, up to 3 VA at start-up
Connections	Wire clamp type terminal blocks; 14–22 AWG, copper
Outputs	Analog outputs produce 0–12 VDC, 20 mA maximum
	Binary outputs (NO, SPST, Form "A" relays) carry 1 A maximum per relay or a total of 1.5 A per bank of 3 relays (relays 1–3, 4–6, and 7–9) @ 24 VAC/VDC
Inputs (IN2–IN4)	0–12 VDC, analog

NOTE: For more specifications, see the BAC-10000 Series Data Sheet.

Maintenance

Remove dust as necessary from the holes in the top and bottom. Clean the display with soft, damp cloth and mild soap.

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